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### Round About Town

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of business in Clifton and vicin-  
ity. Splendid proposition. Bond re-  
quired. Write Grand Union Tea  
company, Colorado Springs, for par-  
ticulars. 1-23-6t.

orton Goes to El Paso—E. T. Mor-  
rell left Friday for El Paso, where  
he will remain for several days  
attending to business relating  
to mining matters.

ganizer Leaves—J. R. Lyons, who  
several weeks has been in Clifton  
vicinity for the purpose of assist-  
ing in the work of the local Wood-  
lodge, left Friday for points in  
Mexico, where he will prosecute  
the same line of work.

Wing Machines rented.—Hagan's  
104.

R HORSES—Prices \$10, \$15, \$20  
and \$25.00.—Hagan's Wagon Yard.

What's up against it?"  
What's the matter?"  
He's got to read a paper on Mil-  
l at her literary club next week."  
Well, what's the difficulty?"  
He doesn't even know a single  
word he wrote."—Detroit Free Press.

undergoes Operation—Mrs. C. L.  
has on last Saturday underwent  
an A. C. Co.'s. hospital a success-  
ful operation for the removal of  
throat of a pin which she had un-  
intentionally swallowed while at her  
dining table Saturday morning.

Hagan's Feed Stable and Wagon

of. Williams Recovers—Prof.  
Williams, one of the teachers of the  
high schools, is recovered from a  
several weeks' illness of mumps, and  
again at his school duties. Dur-  
ing his illness, his place in the  
schools was filled by J. C. Kenwell,  
superintendent of all city schools.

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### York Flat to be Improved.

It is anticipated by those connected  
with the administration of the coun-  
try's roads that a distance of the  
Clifton-Duncan road, in the vicinity of  
the ranch home of Reese Webster,  
and known as York Flat, be drained  
and otherwise improved, as at pre-  
sent the roadway is in such condition  
at times of rainfall that traffic is  
greatly inconvenienced. This section  
of the road is in a country so situated  
that proper drainage must be sup-  
plied.

Mrs. Connor Visits from Deming—  
Mrs. Frank Connor, who formerly re-  
sided here, where her husband was in  
charge of the hardware department of  
the stores of the Arizona Copper  
company, has been visiting in Clif-  
ton this week from her home at  
Deming, N. M., and while here has  
been the guest of Mrs. R. K. Minson.  
A number of receptions, in Mrs. Con-  
nor's honor, have been held this week  
in the homes of the town, Mrs. Min-  
son entertaining on the afternoon of  
Thursday, while on the afternoon of  
Friday Mrs. Jno. Grimes was hostess  
to a number of the many friends of  
Mrs. Connor, whose visit now is  
gladly welcomed by those who were  
of her acquaintance during her former  
residence here.

Chinese Celebrate New Year's Day  
—Saturday, January 24, was a great  
day with the Celestial inhabitants of  
Clifton, as with their brethren through-  
out the world, for that day was the  
beginning of the Chinese New Year,  
reckoning by the Confucian calendar.  
The local Celestials were patriotically  
and religiously inclined in the day's  
observance, indicating their remem-  
brance of the Eastern Land by ban-  
quets that were composed of many  
strange, to Western people, viands  
and liquors. The young Chinese,  
while as a rule in sympathy with the  
present republican government in  
China, with its adoption of the Grego-  
rian, or "Mellican," calendar, yet  
honored their older and more con-  
servative brethren in the enjoyments  
of the day so great to China in both  
politics and religion.

East Side Association Goes to Dun-  
can—A large number of the mem-  
bers of the East Side Association, a  
local organization of enthusiastic auto-  
mobilists, journeyed last Sunday to  
Duncan, where they mingled with the  
Duncan citizens who are similarly  
disposed. At York, a relay station of  
the route, the party tarried in harmo-  
ny to enjoy a feast that was mainly  
roast pig, done to a stage of delicious  
brownness. Seven machines were in  
the procession, the occupants of the  
cars being the following: G. L. Coffe-  
e, W. J. Riley, Ben M. Crawford,  
J. H. Kerby, Peter Riley, Duncan Mc-  
Neill, M. E. Crawford, Thompson,  
Brown, J. J. Kelly, W. E. Kelly, K.  
M. Schade, H. O. Tunis, Jno. M. Web-  
ster, Harry Wright, E. M. Williams,  
C. E. Tyler, Richard Stevens, Jos.  
Brooks, and Reese Webster. The re-  
turn was with the shadows of the night.

Mrs. Burtch Entertains Nullo Club  
—Mrs. L. A. W. Burtch was hostess  
to the Nullo Bridge Club on Wednes-  
day afternoon. The following  
ladies were in attendance: Laine,  
Adams, Simms, Corwin, Bullock,  
Mitchell, and Hutchins. This club  
meets once each week for the pur-  
pose of learning the mysteries of the  
manner of playing Nullo, the new  
coun in bridge.

IRRIGATED FARM FOR SALE.  
I am offering for sale my irrigated  
farm which is situated in the Gila  
valley, one mile south of Sheldon  
and seven miles north of Duncan.  
This property consists of fifty-five  
acres, with fifteen acres under the  
Colmenero canal, ten shares of  
stock of this canal being included  
with the property. Lots 1 and 2 of  
Section 27 in township 7, South of  
Range 31 East of the Gila and Salt  
rivers Meridian comprise this farm.  
A small residence and a blacksmith  
shop are on the land, all of which  
is under fence. This property will  
be sold for \$1,000.00 cash. This is  
a splendid opportunity for anyone  
who wishes to enter the business of  
stock or truck growing, as the prop-  
erty will lend itself readily for use as  
a chicken or hog ranch, dairy, etc.  
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424, Metcalf, Arizona.  
—1-23-4t.—col.

Incipient Fire at Reardon—What  
came near being a disastrous fire oc-  
curred at the Reardon Hotel at about  
nine o'clock on the evening of Wed-  
nesday. The blaze, which occurred in  
the kitchen of the cafe in connection  
with the hotel, was extinguished be-  
fore the arrival of the volunteer fire-  
men, who quickly responded. The blowing  
of the fire whistle attracted a  
large number who were prepared to  
witness a conflagration of moment.

Frank Hodges, of the Blue river  
section has been spending the week  
in Clifton.

### A CORRECTION.

In the columns of the Era of the is-  
sue of last week there appeared an  
article concerning the collision of a  
buggy and an automobile on the road  
leading from Main Clifton to Hill's  
Addition, this article stating that the  
automobile was owned by D. M. Can-  
sler, of Morenci. We are glad of this  
opportunity to state that the automo-  
bile concerned in this accident did  
not belong to Mr. Cansler, it being a  
car connected with one of the Clifton  
automobile service lines.

His Stomach Troubles Over.  
Mr. Dyspeptic, would not like to  
feel that your stomach troubles were  
over, that you could eat any kind of  
food you desired without injury? That  
may seem so unlikely to you that you  
do not even hope for an ending of  
your trouble, but permit us to assure  
you that it is not altogether impos-  
sible. If others can be cured perman-  
ently, and thousands have been, why  
not you? John R. Barker, of Battle  
Creek, Mich., is one of them. He  
says, "I was troubled with heartburn  
indigestion, and liver complaint un-  
til I used Chamberlain's Tablets, then  
my trouble was over." Sold by all  
dealers.

Evangelist Hall Will Visit Here on  
Saturday—Rev. Gordon, of the Bap-  
tist church, received advice this  
week from Rev. Burton A. Hall, an-  
nouncing that the latter would arrive  
in Clifton Saturday, tomorrow, for a  
visit of several days. While here he  
will deliver lectures, probably on  
Monday, to the students of the Clif-  
ton high school, these lectures to be  
delivered in the school's auditorium.  
It is probable that Rev. Hall will con-  
duct services at the Baptist church at  
the regular hours Sunday. This is  
welcome news to many of Clifton's  
people, as this evangelist some months  
since held a highly successful revival  
at the Baptist church here, the ser-  
vices nightly being attended by large  
congregations, the speaker's power in  
thought and language being unusual.  
Rev. Hall, who is the state evange-  
list of the Baptist of Arizona, for the  
past several weeks has been holding  
a very successful revival at Phoenix,  
the Phoenix press devoting extensive  
accounts of the interest aroused by  
the brilliant speaker.

Franz Returns from Visit to North  
—United States Marshal G. A. Franz  
returned Sunday from a trip of sev-  
eral weeks' duration to various points  
in the North, including St. Louis, De-  
troit, and cities in Ontario, Canada.  
While there Mr. Franz attended the  
meetings of several stockholders of  
companies in which he is interested.  
Evident in all the principal cities in  
which he visited was the determina-  
tion of the financial and commercial  
interests to secure for themselves one  
of the regional reserve banks author-  
ized by the recent currency law.

Elks to Hold Dance on February 7  
The Elks' Dancing club is making  
arrangements for the holding of a  
ball, on the evening of Saturday, Feb-  
ruary 7, at the Princess theatre. This  
dance, which will be only for the mem-  
bers and their ladies, promises to be  
one of the most splendid affairs of the  
season, no phase of the dance's plea-  
sures being omitted by the arrange-  
ments committee.

Woodmen Initiate—The local Wood-  
man lodge held, on the evening of  
Wednesday, January 28, a meeting of  
initiation, having at that time con-  
ducted a large class through the  
meanings of the order. Following the  
initiation ceremonies, a splendid ban-  
quet was enjoyed by a large attend-  
ance, the large membership of the  
lodge, in addition to a number of visit-  
ing brothers, forming an audience  
that participated in the evening's  
pleasures and instruction. The  
lodge here is rapidly increasing in  
membership and strength.

Mountain States Engineer Here—  
Murray McNeil, chief engineer of the  
Mountain States Telephone company, with  
headquarters at Denver, Colorado, has  
been in Clifton this week on an in-  
spection tour of all his company's  
construction work in progress in this  
section. The new toll line to Morenci,  
the renovation of the Clifton system,  
both of which undertakings are com-  
pleted, and the toll line now in course  
of construction between Clifton and  
Safford, were inspected by him this  
week. In the Clifton section, as in  
the entire field of this company, con-  
struction is being followed with a  
great expenditure.

Chase Creek Being Graded—The  
city now has employed a number of  
men engaged in the grading of the up-  
per end of Chase Creek street. Orig-  
inally the intention of the council was  
to have this work done by private  
contract, but later decided to have the  
work done under the direction of the  
city's street department. This work  
upon its final completion will include  
the drainage of that section of the  
town to the south of the street, and  
upon which because of the steep hills  
above the residences and business  
houses, is subjected to disastrous

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floods in time of storm. At present  
however, the work is only toward the  
grading of the street, which in many  
places is uneven, thus causing loss be-  
cause of the heavy traffic that is along  
the thoroughfare. The drainage cam-  
paign that is soon to be followed in  
this section will be of paramount in-  
terest to the property owners, as  
much loss has often resulted be-  
cause of the lack of adequate protec-  
tion in this respect.

Tangoists Hold Dance—A jolly party  
met at the Eagles' Hall on the even-  
ing of Thursday, there to engage in  
the many variations of the new tango  
and allied dances. Dr. and Mrs.  
Burtch were sponsors. Ten couples  
were in attendance, about half of  
whom were from Morenci. No two-  
step or waltzing was allowed, the  
meeting being only for the happiness  
of the enjoyment of the tripping  
steps of the newest forms of active  
dances. After the dance, at an early  
hour in the morning, the attendants  
were entertained at lunch at the home  
of Dr. and Mrs. Burtch.

Sunday Schools Enjoy Large Attend-  
ance—Rev. Gordon, of the Baptist  
church, announces that the Baptist  
Sunday school is now enjoying the  
most gratifying attendance in its his-  
tory, the number of children in all  
the classes last Sunday, January 25,  
being one hundred and forty-three.  
This is indeed an enviable attendance,  
and a source of pride to the many  
teachers and church workers who  
have labored to this end. This week,  
workmen have been engaged in plac-  
ing removable partitions in the main  
auditorium of the church that the  
classes might be able to conduct their  
respective studies without having  
their attention drawn to the work of  
surrounding classes. Special illustra-  
tions with the aid of blackboards, etc.,  
will be included in the various courses  
of study, this being only one of the  
many plans of those in charge that  
the results of the children's work  
might be constantly more profitable.  
Rev. Gordon also states that the at-  
tendance at the regular church ser-  
vices is steadily increasing.

Clifton-Safford Telephone Line Rapid-  
ly Progressing—The construction of  
the Mountain States company's tele-  
phone line from Clifton to Safford is  
being rapidly progressed, the wires  
being now placed as far as Gillard

Hot Springs. A large number of work-  
men, under the direction of Construc-  
tion Chief Riley, is now engaged in  
building a road that will permit the  
passage of wagons and horses that  
material might be transported, and in  
many places is encountering such  
topography that constant blasting is  
necessary to remove obstacles. It  
is estimated that this line will be com-  
pleted not later than April 1. This  
line will be of great convenience to  
all this section, as at present all tele-  
phone communication between Clifton  
and the lower Gila is over a line that  
is much impaired, making annoying  
the service.

POSTMISTRESS HOMESTEADS  
GLOBE—Before Justice H. H.  
Pratt, Miss Ola Young, postmaster at  
Young, has just made final proof on a  
homestead. Miss Young has been post-  
master at the Young postoffice for  
over twenty years and the town it-  
self was named for members of her  
family.

Miss Mollis Foote, employed at the  
telephone exchange, has been slightly  
ill this week, but is recovering.

### PLAN PARCEL POST DEPOT AT DEMING.

Deming, N. M. Jan. 24.—A move-  
ment is in active progress to build  
a large warehouse here for the stor-  
ing of all kinds of merchandise used  
and consumed at Silver City, Mogol-  
lon and adjacent mining towns, by the  
merchants of those points. This pro-  
ject has been launched to take advan-  
tage of the parcels post, which it is  
expected will cut down the cost of  
living. The government rate of 100  
pounds from Deming to Silver City,  
Mogollon and other places in that  
region is \$1.08. The rate charged by  
freighters from Silver City is over  
\$2.50 a hundred, making a total of  
\$2.82 from here to Mogollon. The  
use of parcels post will make a saving  
of \$1.24 a hundred to consumers be-  
yond Silver City.

A representative of one of the large  
est automobile truck factories in the  
United States accompanied Fourth As-  
sistant Postmaster General James F.  
Blakeslee to Washington, where he  
will confer with the postmaster gen-  
eral in regard to the installation of  
automobile trucks by the government  
in all parts of the country where the  
same conditions exist.



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